

Milwaukee County Personnel Review Board
Meeting Minutes – June 9, 2015

I. Roll Call

Board President Daniel Dennehy called to order the regular meeting of the Personnel Review Board at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 9, 2015, in Room 306 of the Milwaukee County Courthouse.

The following Board Members were present: Mr. Dennehy, Ms. Susan A. Lueger, Ms. Mary K. Bruno, and Mr. Carlos Pastrana. Ms. Melissa Soberalski arrived at 9:05 a.m. and left at 9:30 a.m.

II. Approval of the Minutes of the May 26, 2015 Meeting

Ms. Bruno moved, Ms. Lueger seconded, and the Board, by vote of 4-0, approved the minutes of the May 26, 2015 meeting.

III. Communications and/or comments from the public, if any

None.

IV. Correspondence

Molly Zillig, Assistant Corporation Counsel, contacted the Board via email to move the matter of Dillon Briesemeister, Case #2-4217, to the call of the chair while the parties resolved some additional matters. Mr. Briesemeister's attorney also emailed the Board that he concurred with the request. Ms. Bruno moved, Ms. Lueger seconded, and the Board, by unanimous vote (4-0), to place the Dillon Briesemeister matter to the call of the chair.

V. First Appearances

A. DISCHARGES

NEAL GOAD, Facilities Worker 2, DAS
Case #2-4224, dated 05/21/2015

The Board heard the report of David Eisner, AFSCME District Council 32, that Neal Goad, who was present, waived his right to a hearing within 21 days and requested a hearing date certain. Ms. Bruno moved, Mr. Pastrana seconded, and the Board, by unanimous vote (5-0) scheduled the matter for hearing certain on July 21, 2015.

B. SUSPENSIONS

VICTORIA MIKULA, Deputy Sheriff 1, SHERIFF
Case #1-4220, dated 05/20/2015 for IA #15-026 for 25 days

The Board heard the report of Ryan MacGillis, MacGillis Wiemer, that Victoria Mikula, who was not present, waived her right to a hearing within 21 days, authorized MacGillis Wiemer to represent her in this matter, and requested a hearing date certain. Ms. Bruno moved, Mr. Pastrana seconded, and the Board, by unanimous vote (5-0) scheduled the matter for hearing certain on July 21, 2015.

PATRICIA SWAYKA, Correction Officer I, SHERIFF

Case #1-4221, dated 05/20/2015 for IA #15-053 for 27 days

The Board heard the report of David Eisner, AFSCME District Council 32, that Patricia Swayka, who was not present, waived her right to a hearing within 21 days and requested a hearing date certain. Paul Kuglitsch, Assistant Corporation Counsel requested the hearing be set for August 18, 2015; however, the Board determined a sooner date was more appropriate. Ms. Bruno moved, Ms. Lueger seconded, and the Board, by unanimous vote (5-0) scheduled the matter for hearing certain on June 23, 2015.

JAMIE SEIDL, Correction Officer I, SHERIFF

Case #1-4221, dated 05/20/2015 for IA #15-075 for 20 days

The Board heard the report of Paul Kuglitsch, Assistant Corporation Counsel, that Jamie Seidl, who was not present or represented, waived her right to a hearing within 21 days and requested a hearing date certain. The Office of the Board confirmed that it received correspondence from Ms. Seidl stating the same. Ms. Bruno moved, Mr. Pastrana seconded, and the Board, by unanimous vote (5-0) scheduled the matter for hearing certain on July 21, 2015.

TROY MOORE-SPICER, Correction Officer I, SHERIFF

Case #1-4223, dated 05/20/2015 for IA #15-081 for 25 days

The Board heard the report of David Eisner, AFSCME District Council 32, that Troy Moore-Spicer, who was present, waived his right to a hearing within 21 days and requested a hearing date certain. Ms. Bruno moved, Ms. Lueger seconded, and the Board, by unanimous vote (5-0) scheduled the matter for hearing certain on July 21, 2015.

VI. Updates

A. DISCHARGE

JUDITH TAYLOR, Clerical Assistant II, DHHS

Case #2-4210, dated 04/23/2015

The Board heard the report of David Eisner, Staff Representative, AFSCME, District Council 32, that Judith Taylor retired from her position with Milwaukee County. Paul Kuglitsch, Assistant Corporation Counsel, confirmed that Ms. Taylor retired. The Board recognized the retirement and closed the case.

B. GRIEVANCE

JASON JAHN, Technical Architect, IMSD

Case #4-4208, dated 03/04/2015

The Board heard additional arguments from Paul Kuglitsch, Assistant Corporation Counsel, and Jason Jahn regarding whether the Board had jurisdiction of Mr. Jahn's grievance appeal. The Board determined to lay over the matter to its next meeting to properly notice a closed session discussion of the matter.

VII. Hearings

A. DISCHARGE

FRED WILLIAMS, Correction Officer I, SHERIFF

Case #2-4206, dated 04/02/2015 for IA #15-022

Case #2-4207, dated 04/02/2015 for IA #15-045

The Board heard the report of David Eisner, .Staff Representative, AFSCME, District Council 32, that Fred Williams resigned effective today, June 9, 2015. The Office of the Board confirmed it received notice of Mr. Williams' resignation. The Board recognized Mr. Williams' resignation and closed the case.

OSCAR RUSH, Facilities Worker Security, SHERIFF

Case #2-4209, dated 04/10/2015 for IA #15-057

The Board heard the request of Paul Kuglitsch, Assistant Corporation Counsel, to move this matter to the call of the chair while Mr. Rush sought another position with the County. David Eisner, .Staff Representative, AFSCME, District Council 32, concurred. Ms. Bruno moved, Ms. Lueger seconded, and the Board by unanimous vote (5-0) placed this matter at the call of the chair.

VIII. Adjournment

Ms. Lueger moved, Ms. Bruno seconded, and the Board, by unanimous vote (4-0), adjourned the meeting at 9:33 a.m.

Minutes submitted by: Rebecca M. Janz, PRB/Ethics Board Administrator